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1. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

The prior art fails to teach a combination of a programmable data packet filter coupled to the command interface and transport stream input interface, the programmable data packet filter transmitting the series of selected data packets in response to the packet filter parameter and the incoming data transport stream; and

a counter that provides counter values for the selected data packets, each counter value representing a time of reception of a respective selected data packet, whereby the counter value is stored in association with the respective selected data packet to preserve information regarding the interpacket time intervals of the series of selected data packets from the incoming data transport stream.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to DANG T TON whose telephone number is 571-272-3171. The examiner can normally be reached on MON-WED, 5:30 AM-6:00 PM and Thur 5:30-9:30 A.M.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, RAO SEEMA can be reached on 571-272-3174. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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